

## CLAIMS:

1. Use in a solid or semi-solid foodstuff of a material to improve organoleptic and physical properties and calcium content characterised in that the material is a calcareous residue of corallinaceae with a content of heavy metals below the upper limits acceptable for edible products.
2. A use according to claim 1 wherein the product is a foodstuff having an emulsified oil or fat phase into which is incorporated the corallinaceae residue and which has improved organoleptic properties as compared to the same product free of said residue.
3. A use according to claim 1 in which the foodstuff containing fat material in which the corallinaceae residue is distributed generally in the foodstuff.
4. A use according to claim 1 in which the foodstuff is a foodstuff to be consumed in a frozen form.
5. A use according to claim 1 in which the foodstuff is a carbohydrate product.
6. A use according to claim 3 in which the foodstuff is a chocolate product.
7. A use according to claim 5 in which the foodstuff is a farinaceous product.
8. A use according to claim 7 in which the foodstuff is primarily composed of a starch based material.

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9. A cosmetic material with a content of a residue of corallinaceae to enhance the properties on skin.

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